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Summary of communication:

Applicant's representative Mr. Martin Katz agreed to proceed to the 409 written opinion in order to meet the administrative deadlines for the instant application.

☐ An extension of time limit is granted (Form PCT/IPEA/427).

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